HOUSE No. 2037

By Ms. Spiliotis of Peabody, petition of Joyce A. Spiliotis and others relative to traffic regulations of cities and towns. Transportation.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PETITION OF:

Joyce A. Spiliotis Susan W. Pope James B. Leary Scott P. Brown

Patricia D. Jehlen William. Smitty Pignatelli

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In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO TRAFFIC REGULATIONS OF CITIES AND TOWNS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Section 18 of Chapter 90 of the General Laws, as appearing in
- 2 the 2002 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out the
- 3 words:—
- 4 'provided, however, that except in the case of a speed regula-
- 5 tion no such special regulation shall be effective unless it shall
- 6 have been published in one or more newspaper, if there be any,
- 7 published in the town in which the way is situated, otherwise in
- 8 one or more newspaper published in the county in which the town
- 9 is situated; nor until after the department, and in the case of a
- 10 speed regulation the department and the registrar, acting jointly,
- 11 shall have certified in writing that such regulation is consistent
- 12 with the public interests;" in lines 5 to 12 inclusive.